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# Shields in top six for Stamepede royalty

Review Staff

Gillian Shields will find out Saturday if she is one of three competitors crowned the next Calgary Stampede Rodeo queen or princes

The 19-year-old Didsbury High School grad said she was nervous with anticipation during last Saturday's elimination

of four of the 10 semi-finalists competing for the top spots. "I had no idea what was going to happen. All of us were lined up. When we were holding hands I was shaking," Shields said.

She, along with five others, will continue on competing this week in preparation for Saturday's elimination and crowning of the three Stampede Rodeo Royalty.

"I was in shock. I made the top six and I realized how far I'd come," she said.

A queen and two princesses will be named to represent the Stampede Rodeo for the 2010-2011 season.

"Whatever spot I get in the trio, if I do get into the trio, I'll

be satisfied with," Shields said.

She said she is proud just to have made it this far in the competition and will look back on the experience as rewarding.

She described her month-long bid for the title as a whirl-

wind of exciting events and interesting people. Shields has split her time between attending class Red Deer College where she is studying for a Bachelor of Science and fulfilling her two to three times a week commitment in Calgary for Rodeo Royalty competitions and

Yesterday, she was to undergo an in-depth interview with

Today, she will be visiting children at a hospital in Calgary. Thursday she will meet with the Stampede's boot sponsor and be fitted with a new pair of boots. A parents' reception will be held Friday and she will complete her final riding competition Saturday.

"We will be using the Stampede queen horses and make up our own pattern," Shields said.

with and does well at.

There's been formal and informal dinners, a cocktail reception and social events she's had to attend, she said explaining "they want to know you can work a crowd."

Public speaking competitions have included topics like innovative ways to celebrate a centennial and she said she's had to be ready for any kind of question during two personal interviews with the judges

Shields gushes about her fellow competitors, saying they are all wonderful people whom she has thoroughly enjoyed getting to know

"I think all 10 of us deserve to be in the trio; all the girls are phenomenal."

The support she has received throughout the competition has been great, she said.

"My dad has been supportive of me as has my whole fam-ily. Everyone's been really great."

She added that she never would have made it this far without her coach, Jo Lawes.



Fire fighters were called out to Valarosa Drive early Saturday moming after neighbours saw plumes of smoke betting from a home. "We were just out in our garden and we could smell facilities it coming out of the side of the home," said neighbour Dennis Donich who was outside with husband Roni. The fire department, RCMP and EMS responded to the scene. Fire chief Rick Mousseau said the fire started after a sump pump in the basement shorted out and overheated, catching flames on surrounding materials. Fire department doused flames inside and said damage continued to the main floor. Mousseau estimates the cost of the damage between \$100,000 and \$150,000. No one was inside the house at the time of the accident. The owner of the home was off at work and neighbours called to let him know what had happened. A developer who was driving through the area at the time noticed the smoke and called 911.

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# Three dead in Sundre area plane crash

BY LEA SMALDON

Three families have been left without a husband, son, brother, or uncle after a four passenger, single engine plane crashed into a cattle pasture a few miles northwest of Sundre early last Friday afternoon.

All three adult occupants of a Cirrus SR-22 low wing plane were killed in the accident which happened about half an hour after taking off from the Springbank airport, confirmed Transportation Safety

The deceased have been identified as 51year-old Chuck Matson from Calgary, 43-year-old Stephen Brosseau from Spruce Grove, and a 42-year-old male from Edmonton whose identity hadn't been released as of yesterday.

The cause of the crash has yet to be

determined, although investigators say

weather doesn't seem to be a factor.
"So we can pretty much rule that out se we're concentrating on the aircraft itself and the crew, the pilots," said John

Transportation Safety Board of Canada's air branch.

An eyewitness to the accident said he first thought the plane's movements shortly before crashing were deliberate.

"I thought he was stunting. He was com-ing straight down," said Lance Dejax. It spiralled, he said, and crashed in a cat-

tle pasture immediately south of his home. "I know it did. I saw it," said the 20-year-

old, adding it was his family who called

RCMP report receiving a 911 call about the crash at approximately 1:49 p.m.

Dejax was outside Friday afternoon helping construct an addition onto his family's home on Range Road 63 between Township Roads 332 and 334 when the sound of a plane was heard overhead.

He watched its descent and said he saw a fireball at least 250 feet high shoot up into the sky when the plane crashed.

He and his father jumped in a truck and rushed to the scene

"It was smouldering wreckage. There wasn't even anything to really look at," Dejax.

Upon arriving on scene and asse the situation, firefighters sprayed the crash site to extinguish any remnants of the fire, investigators now say was related to the crash.

'We don't have any evidence of in-flight fire or anything like that. It's all post impact, said Transportation Safety Board senior investigator Bill Kemp.

An ambulance sat by as police and firefighters scoured the area.

confirmed several people had died in the crash. There were no survivors, said Sundre RCMP Sgt. Percy Leipnitz.

Sundre RCMP secured the site until Transportation Safety Board officials arrived on scene the next morning.

One of two Transportation Safety Board officials confirmed Saturday that the plane left Springbank about 1:20 p.m. and flew directly to the Sundre area.

"And it was last seen on radar, on the air traffic control radar, dropping down through 5,700 feet above sea level and that's the lowest that the radar will cover in this area due to the line of sight of the radar. So it was heading directly to this area," said Pearson.

Radar data available for the plane's flight von't be nearly as complete as it would have been had the accident occurred near Calgary, Pearson said. In that area, there's radar coverage right to the ground.

flight plan was not filed with NAVCanada, nor were investigators aware as of Saturday of any flight plan being filed with a responsible party

'So we're not exactly sure what their plans were. Some of the next of kin let us know what they thought they were doing but we're not absolutely sure of this, at this time really what they were doing, what they were doing in the Sundre area.

We'll have to find that out," Pearson.
Pearson said while investigators know who owned the plane, he could not release that information as the medical examiner in control of issues related to positive identification.



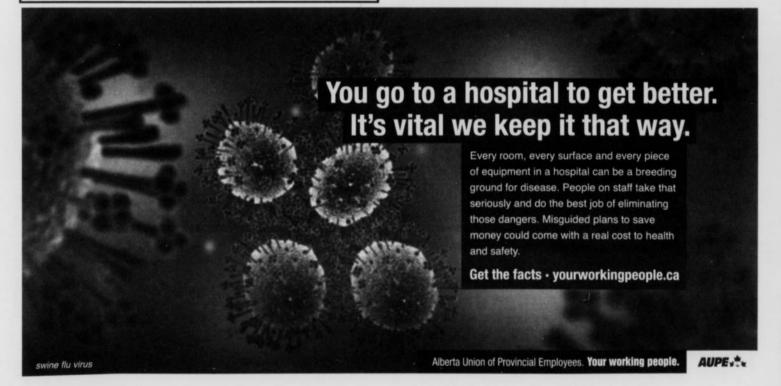
have you nominated your favourite business or Not for Profit Society for a Small Business Week Award? If not this is your final week. Nominations will close at 6pm on October 1st. Nomination forms and criteria are available on the Chamber web-site www.didsburychamber.ca or at the office. Completed nominations can be delivered to the Chamber office between 9am and 1pm daily or faxed to 403-335-3265. Please don't assume that your favourite business is everyone else's and that they will receive the nomination they deserve. Do Not hesitate; get your nomination in today!!

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to be a business to nominate one. We encourage all residents of Didsbury to get involved and nominate your favourite business/society. Say thank you to your favourite business with a nomination for one of our awards. Again, nomination sclose on October 1st, 2010. Nominees will be announced on October 12th with the awards being presented on October 16th at the Chamber

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# Lavigne challenges Wittal for Didsbury mayor's seat

BY SYLVIA COLE Review Staff

With names declared a week ago yesterday for the upcoming municipal election, a mayoral race between two members of the community has officially been declared.

Mayor Brian Wittal is campaigning for a second term and Rick Lavigne, retired army veteran, is stepping up to the plate for the first time.

"I want to continue on with what we've been doing," said Wittal of his decision to run again.

Wittal wants to continue with projects started last term if re-elected. In particular, looking at future growth and ensuring businesses are coming into the area as well as infrastructure and working with the government to get funding for the sewer lagoon.

And running against another candidate isn't something new for Wittal, who said he ran against the former mayor

in the last election.

"I think it's good as long as there's opportunity for choice and different people are offering ideas," he said of

And Lavigne is ready to race against Wittal but said he

had hoped more people would run.
"There should be more people taking responsibility and bringing their concerns forward. Before I declared myself for mayor I asked people why they're not running and I didn't get very strong answers so I'm trying to take it on myself.

Lavigne and his wife moved to Didsbury five and a half years ago, after Lavigne finished 35 years in the army and five years as a sergeant on the Calgary police force.



RICK LAVIGNE



BRIAN WITTAL

"We're happy here. We just don't like the things we see," he explained. Lavigne ques-tions council's use of money, communication between town staff and the community and some agreements made between the town and developers

"Allowing people to build on flood plains is in jeopardy of people that don't understand that it floods," he said of example. Other particular issues include the mayor's salary, and trips some council members have taken to Japan that Lavigne feels "wasn't business but a vacation."

"I'm not the conqueror. I'm not out to whack everybody that works there. But there has to be changes. For the amount of tax we pay we should be getting a heck of a lot

Lavigne and Wittal will attend this week's all-candidates forum on September 29 starting at 7 p.m. at the Didsbury Memorial Complex multi purpose room.



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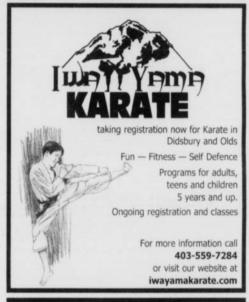
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### **Editorial**

### Mirror drunk driving laws with B.C.'s



DAN SINGLETON

The British Columbia government has introduced tough new rules aimed at making more people think twice about getting behind the wheel after they've been drinking - the latest attempt

to curb the scourge of impaired driving that has killed hundreds in recent years

Like all other jurisdictions in Canada, the Alberta government should take a long hard look at what B.C. is doing and consider implementing similar changes.

Under the changes made in B.C. starting September 20, drivers caught with blood alcohol levels greater than 50 mg per cent automatically lose their licence for at least three days; caught twice in five years and the suspension is seven days. Further infractions will result in escalating fines, vehicle seizures and other penalties.

It is, of course, already illegal to operate a motor vehicle anywhere in Canada with a blood alcohol level greater than 80 mg per cent, with first-offence fines starting at \$1,000 and one year driving suspension.

Mothers Against Drunk Driving, an advocacy group that offers support services to victims and works to heighten awareness of the dangers of impaired driving, is applauding the new rules being put in place in B.C.

"Strong administrative programs and sanctions beginning at five percent reduce impaired driving, resulting in fewer alcohol-related crashes, fatalities and injuries on our roads," said Andrew Murie, Chief Executive Officer of MADD Canada.

The new sanctions provide an increased level of deterrence for impaired drivers. Those who still don't get the message should face longer licence suspensions, corresponding vehicle impoundments, heavier fines and mandatory rehabilitation programs.

News of the changes in B.C. come as Statistics Canada reports that while overall crime in Canada has declined in recent years, drunk driving offences have continued an upward trend for each of the past

Both MADD and the B.C. government say targeting drivers with 50 mg per cent blood alcohol levels should not unduly impact social drinkers and drinking establishments. They argue, convincingly, that any responsible drinker who isn't sure if he or she is good to drive should always err on the side of cau-

"We commend the government of British Columbia for these important changes. This province now has the strongest administrative sanctions for impaired driving in the country," says MADD.

Perhaps the Stelmach government - today being battered over its Superboard health system, its tarsands policies and other issues - should consider making changes along the lines of those now in place

After all, what better way to build up public support than to make a real and concerted effort aimed at making Albertans safer on the province's roads and highways? In any event, it's worth a look.



## Letters to the editor Handibus a necessity for the community

Re: Impending cancellation of the Lions handibus service Dear Editor:

As a long-time resident of Didsbury (over 40 years) I was dis-tressed to hear of the possible cancellation of the Lions Club Handibus. Many, many of the seniors in Didsbury (myself included), rely on the handibus to take them "uptown" for shopping, groceries, doctor's appointments, banking, vis-

iting family and friends in the hospital and generally as a means of getting out of the house. This is espe cially true as winter approaches and they need a short trip out to see a friendly face and deal with personal

Surely Didsburians can find some spare cash to support this very nec-essary service! We find cash for pubwalkways and ball diamonds

We cannot always be asking peo-

ple to run us around. I am very fortunate in having many wonderful friends who help me and I thank them most sincerely, but my/our independence as seniors is vital to our health and peace of mind.

Help us keep the handibus, Didsbury. YOU may need it one day!

> Margaret Banfield Didsbury

#### To the town crew and town councillors:

A very big thank you regarding your decision and prompt followup in mowing Southridge Valley Park.

It was a big task and we assure you that your time and effort has been well appreciated by many. The

improvement to this park is huge. Wayne and Barb Green Didsbury

Do you have an opinion you'd like others to hear? Send us your letters to the editor at review@didsbury.greatwest.ca

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### PUBLIC MEETINGS & NOTICES

REGULAR TOWN COUNCIL MEETING:

Tuesday, September 28, 2010 at 7:00 pm in Council Chambers

MUNICIPAL PLANNING COMMISSION:

Wednesday, October 6, 2010 at 4:30 pm in Council Chambers

The Town Office will be closed on October 8, 2010 from 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm

### NEW DEVELOPMENT PERMIT APPLICATIONS

THE FOLLOWING DEVELOPMENT PERMITS HAVE BEEN ISSUED FOR THE FOLLOWING PROPOSED DEVELOPMENTS:

DP 10-78 217 Southridge Place Addition with attached garage front & rear decks with conditions

Further information may be obtained at the Town Office, 2037 - 19 Avenue or by calling 403-335-3391. Persons wishing to appeal any of these decisions must do so in writing, with the appropriate fees, to the Secretary, Development Appeal Board, prior to 4:30 pm on

Dani Woodman, Development Officer

### **Town of Didsbury MUNICIPAL ELECTION 2010**

ALL CANDIDATE FORUM: Sponsored by the Didsbury and District Chamber of Commerce to be held on Wednesday, September 29, 2010 at 7:00 pm at the Didsbury Memorial Complex Multi Purpose Room.

ADVANCE VOTE: Monday, October 4, 2010 from 12:00 noon to 8:00 pm at the Town of Didsbury Council Chambers 2037 - 19th Avenue. Please use the side entrance.

ELECTION DAY: Monday, October 18, 2010 at the Didsbury Memorial Complex Multi Purpose Room. Polls open at 10:00 am and close at 8:00 p.m.

For more information check out the Town of Didsbury website at www.didsbury.ca or call Returning Officer Luana Smith at 403-335-3391.

### ROAD CLOSURE NOTICE SATURDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2010

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### BYLAW BEAT

l would like to introduce you to our newest municipal enforcement officer, Melissa Trotter. Melissa comes to us from Kingston, Ontario where she was a bylaw enforcement officer for six years after completing a diploma in Law & Justice from Sir Sandford Fleming College in Peterborough. Melissa will be responsible for the Town's animal control program as well as responding to general bylaw complaints Requests for assistance from the Municipal Enforcement Department can be made through the town's information line at 403-335-2030 or you can lodge a complaint electronically through the Town's website at <a href="https://www.didsbury.ca/town/protectiveservices">www.didsbury.ca/town/protectiveservices</a>.

If you have lost a pet you can view pictures of the lost and found pets currently being held by the Town at www.didsbury.ca/town/lostapet. Periodically we do have pets that go unclaimed and we are always looking for people interested in adopting cats or dogs. If you would like to be added to the list of potential adoptive families please call Melissa at 403-335-3391 or email her at mtrotter@didsbury.ca.

SNOWMAN IN FALL - A snowman sits in front of Redeemer Lutheran church in Didsbury last week after an early snowfall

### World Breastfeeding Week approaching

Each year, Canada celebrates World Breastfeeding Week during the first week of October. This year, the week runs October 1 to 7 and its theme is Breastfeeding – Just 10 Steps. These 10 steps highlight the ways that hospitals, health-care providers, workplaces, communities and families can help mothers achieve their breastfeeding goals.

their breastfeeding goals. The 10 steps are:

 Have a written breastfeeding policy that is routinely communicated to all health- care staff.

2. Train all health-care staff in skills necessary to implement this policy.

 Inform all pregnant women about the benefits and management of breastfeeding. 4. Help mothers to initiate breastfeeding within a half-hour of birth.

Show mothers how to breastfeed, and how to maintain lactation even if they should be separated from their infants.

Give newborn infants no food or drink other than breast milk unless medically indicated.

7. Practise rooming in allow mothers and infants to remain together 24 hours a day.

8. Encourage breastfeeding on demand.

9. Give no artificial teats or pacifiers (also called dummies or soothers) to breastfeeding infants.

Foster the establishment of breastfeeding support groups and refer mothers to them on discharge from the hospital or clinic.

Despite higher rates of breastfeeding, too many mothers stop exclusive breastfeeding within a few weeks after birth for a variety of reasons, including lack of information and support. The World Health Organization and Canadian Pediatric Society recommend exclusive breastfeeding for infants' first six months of life and then continued breastfeeding with solid food for up to two years of age.

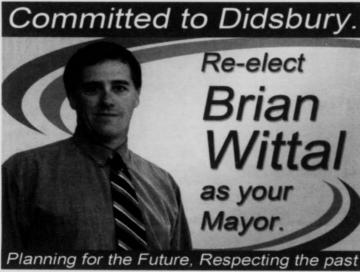
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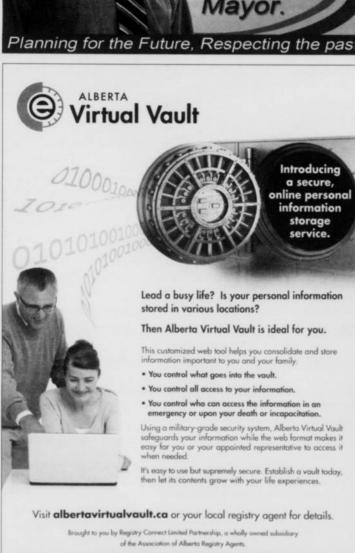
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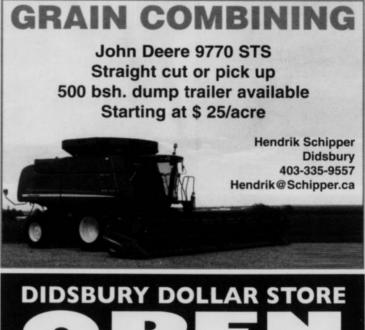
mothers and their families Prenatal Classes able in the Didsbury area by calling 1-866-471-7011 Postnatal support provided through home visits by a Public Health Nurse; postnatal classes are also offered through-out the year. Parents are encouraged to bring their babies to the Baby Drop In for a weight check, or to phone Didsbury Public Health with questions or concerns. The 24/7 Early Start number, (403) 244-8351, is available for parents of infants less than two months old; the Health Link number, 1-866-408-5465, is available for anyone of any age requir-ing health information. For more information please call Public Health at (403)

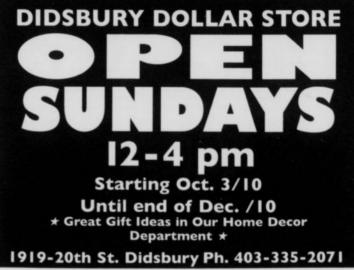
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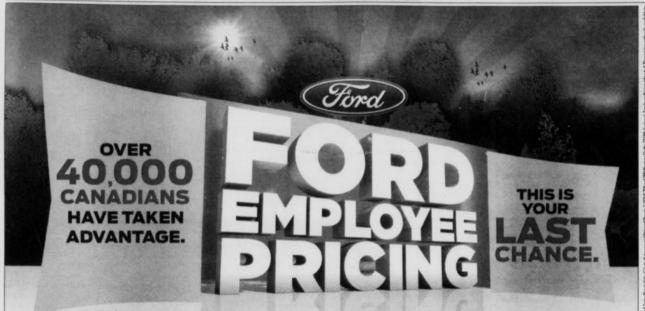












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### Semi smacks into building and drives away

Witnesses watched as a semi pulled into a farmer's yard southwest of Carstairs to turn around and hit the cor-ner of a farmer's shop. The driver of the semi made no attempts to stop. There wasn't any extensive damage but side pieces and the wood frame were broken and the value amount is unknown at this time. This happened around midnight on

### Unlocked vehicles open invitation

An MP3 player and money were taken

### Police briefs

from a 2007 Hyundai Tucson parked outside South Ridge Crescent sometime between midnight and 8:30 a.m. September 18. The vehicle was left unlocked.

A Sirius satellite radio was stolen from an unlocked Chevrolet pickup in Carstairs at the 1100 block of Hammond Street sometime between 9 a.m. and 4:30

p.m. on September 22. Police are reminding residents to keep valuables out of their vehicles and out of

Open to

sight and to keep doors locked. These incidents are considered crimes of oppor-tunity and if the doors are locked people will move on, said RCMP.

### Cadillac vandalized

The back seat of a black Cadillac was andalized in Carstairs at the 1200 block of Grey Street. Nothing was taken but the back seat ripped to the point where the frame was exposed. The door lock was broken to gain entry. This happened

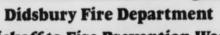
sometime between 10 a.m. September 17th and noon the next day.

### Plates nabbed

Trailer plates were stolen off a trailer in Carstairs on 10th Avenue in the 400 block area. Plate number is Z30 220.

### Bike disappears

A Nakamura Monster 6.0 bike described as "bluey grey silver" in colour was taken from the Ross Ford Elementary School sometime on September 29 between 9 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. If the bike is seen in town RCMP are asking people to report it to them so they can return the bike.



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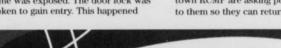
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# Colts best Bears in opener

BY ANDREW WILD view Staff

In hockey - according to the old adage - all that matters are the two points.

That's what Mountainview Colts will be able to hang their collective hats on after a seasonopening 3-1 win over the Banff Academy Bears on Saturday afternoon in

Didsbury. While the game wasn't high on style points it was a gritty effort by the local junior B squad as they survived 11 of 12 short-handed situations, including a fourminute man disadvantage in the last five minutes before an odd empty-net goal credited to Cody Issler sealed the deal in the Colts'

"The players really played well," explained new head coach Gord Olsen immediately following the win. "There was a little bit of penalty trouble throughout the game, but they showed a little bit of character killing some penalties especially late in the game killing a four-minute penalty and up only goal. They really reached down and did a job for us.

Ironically, the Colts offence came via the power play as they scored twice on three opportunities with Jason Edwards scoring with the man advantage in the second period and Braeden Anderson netting what would be the game winner while a man up in

Recently returned to the Colts from a preseason stint with Fort McMurray of the Alberta Junior Hockey League, the Olds native came up big for the Colts when the team need-

"I just knew I had to sten up and do something ... so I just stepped in and took a shot and it happened to go in," Anderson said of his game-winner. "It was a



good time in Fort Mac, just things didn't work out and I like coming back here and being a vet and having to play big and lead the team

Also stepping up for the Colts was a newcomer between the pipes. Ethan Jemieff stopped 21 of 22 shots, including a few point-blank opportunities, to secure his first-ever win in the Heritage Junior Hockey League.

The young tender from Olds will be part of a new tandem for the Colts this year, splitting time with Didsbury's Jordan Kerr between the pipes. He was happy to get his first game under his belt with a successful outcome.

was pretty nervous going in there, but when you got a good bunch of guys in front of you playing it makes it fairly easy to play," a smiling Jemieff suggested, despite having to face so many short-handed situations. "Half the time you just hope it hits you because there's so many bodies in front of you but we did a good job of killing penalties, which is good.

For this year's edition of the Colts, the team is geared towards getting away from a rough and tumble style of hockey and focusing on using their speed and work ethic to pester other teams into turnovers

So far, the coaches rookies themselves in the league - are impressed with the attitude and ability of the many first-year play-ers wearing the blue and red, and believe that enthu-



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As well, Olsen expects the team will continue to get better as they get more time together on the ice and become more familiar with the systems and each

"In the four games we've played, including the three exhibition games, they've gotten better every game Olsen enthused. "The young guys have really fit in well and they're playing great for us. That's the key if the young guys play good

they have to keep their socks pulled up.'

The Colts will play their first road game this Friday when they head to Airdrie to play the Thunder, the team that knocked them out of the playoffs last spring. On Sunday, the Colts are back in the friendly confines of the Didsbury Memorial Complex when the alwaystough Red Deer Vipers are in town. Game time is 4

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There will be a potluck supper at 5:30 p.m. at the 5-0 Club for all floor curlers and spouses, with a short meeting to follow. If you are interested in learning how to floor curl (daytime schedules), please phone Fay at (403) 335-2240.

### Thurs. Oct. 7

This is the afternoon for all seniors of the town and districts to gather at Eldon Foote Hall (train station) after the doors open at 1:30 p.m. Happy Birthday to all who are Octoberites; birthday cake is on the menu.

I wish one and all a Happy Thanksgiving weekend with family and friends, some decent weather??

### Tues. Oct. 12

The meeting of the Didsbury Hospital Auxiliary will start at 2 p.m. in Unit 4 at the hospital. New members always welcome.

### Wed. Oct. 13

The Thanksgiving potluck dinner at the 5-0 Club will start at 12:30 p.m. The meat is supplied and the meal will be complete with your favourite dish of veggies, salad or dessert. Enjoy!

### Fri. Oct. 15

Tonight from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m., the Didsbury Curling Club is holding a second registration and fun night. You are welcome to go out on the ice and try the game. All new residents to town (curlers or wannabe curlers) are most welcome. Meet the Executive, learn all about league schedules, etc.

### Sat. Oct. 16

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#### Sun. Oct. 17

The annual Roast Beef Supper is being held at St. Cyprian's Anglican Church Parish Hall, with two

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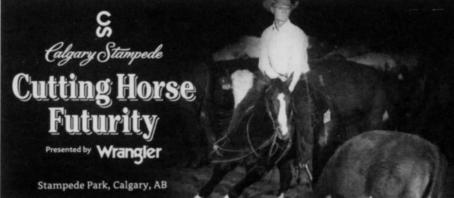
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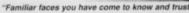
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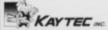
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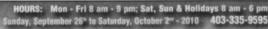
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